IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE C.N.RAMACHANDRAN NAIR

TUESDAY, THE 2ND JANUARY 2007 / 12TH POUSHA 1928

WP(C).No. 34171 of 2006(R)

PETITIONER:

VIMI GEORGE, AWD NO.8,
KUMARANALLOOR, KOTTAYAM.

BY ADV. SRI.K.I.MAYANKUTTY MATHER
SMT.S.LAKSHMY

RESPONDENTS:

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1. DISTRICT COLLECTOR,
KOTTAYAM.

2. COMMISSIONER, CIVIL SUPPLIES,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM.

3. DISTRICT SUPPLY OFFICER,
KOTTAYAM.

4. TALUK SUPPLY OFFICER,
KOTTAYAM.

5. G.JAYAPRAKASH, VILLOOTHARA,
NAGAMPADAM, KOTTAYAM.

R1 TO R4 BY G.P. SRI. I.V. PRAMOD

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 02/01/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

C.N.RAMACHANDRAN NAIR,J.

W.P.C.NO. 34171 OF 2006

Dated this the 2nd day of January, 2007

JUDGMENT

Petitioner has approached this Court apprehending cancellation of Wholesale Ration Dealer's licence for want of qualification of residence in the area where licence is granted. Government Pleader reported that petitioner is residing with her husband elsewhere and is not entitled to the licence. In any case, since the Collector has not passed orders, W.P. is disposed of directing the first respondent to pass orders after hearing the petitioner and in terms of the norms applicable. Petitioner's objection that the District Collector has no authority to decide will also be considered by the first respondent while passing orders. If he finds that he has no jurisdiction, he is free to refer the matter to the higher authority with his report. If the petitioner has any grievance petitioner can challenge the order.

(C.N.RAMACHANDRAN NAIR)
Judge